



April 30, 2018

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S. W. – TW-A325
Washington, DC 20054

Attention: Pricing Policy Division
Wireline Competition Bureau

Re: Section 64.1900 Certification

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 64.1900 of the Commission's Rules¹, I hereby certify I am the Senior Vice President & General Counsel of Birch Communications, LLC and Tempo Telecom, LLC. Birch Communications, LLC on behalf of itself and its subsidiaries, including Tempo Telecom, LLC ("Birch"), is a non-dominant provider of interstate, domestic interexchange telecommunications service. Birch is currently providing interstate, domestic interexchange service in compliance with the Commission's geographic rate averaging and rate integration rules pursuant to Section 254(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

I hereby declare that the facts set forth above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully Submitted,

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¹ 49 C.F.R. 64.1900

Birch Entities Providing Interstate, Domestic Interexchange Services

Birch Communications, LLC
Birch Communications of Virginia, Inc.
Birch Communications of the Northeast, LLC
Birch Communications of Kentucky, LLC
Birch Telecom of Missouri, LLC
Birch Telecom of Kansas, LLC
Birch Telecom of Texas LTD LLP
Birch Telecom of Oklahoma, LLC
Birch Telecom of the South, LLC
Birch Telecom of the Great Lakes, LLC
Birch Telecom of the West, LLC
IONEX Communications LLC
IONEX Communications South, LLC
IONEX Communications North, LLC
Cbeyond Communications, LLC
Tempo Telecom, LLC

